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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re the application of

) MAIL STOP APPEAL BRIEF

HAUER et al.

) Group Art Unit: 1652

Serial No. 10/031,146

) Examiner: Pak

Filed: January 17, 2002

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OXIDIZING ORGANIC COMPOUNDS

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BRIEF ON APPEAL

Sir:

This appeal is from the examiner's final office action mailed on April 20, 2004.

Applicants' notice of appeal was received on October 25, 2004.

REAL PARTY IN INTEREST

The real party in interest is BASF Aktiengesellschaft, of Ludwigshafen, Germany.

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RELATED APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

To appellants' knowledge and belief, there are no interferences or other appeals
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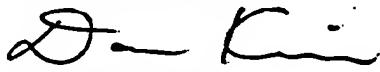
CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, it is respectfully submitted that reversal of the examiner's rejection of all claims is in order.

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